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SUBJECT: TRIPARTITE AGREEMENT ON STRATOSPHERIC OZONE
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REFS: (A) PARIS 12382 (B) STATE 100524 (C) SALMON/LONG
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1. USG REACTIONS TO BRITISH-FRENCH COMMENTS (VIA PARIS
12382) ON EARLIER U.S. PROPOSALS (STATE 100524) ARE PROVIDED
HEREIN. VIRTUALLY ALL COMMENTS HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED. U.S.
AGREES TO DROP PROPOSED PARAGRAPH 3 OF THE PREAMBLE AS

INCLUDED IN REF (B) WITH UNDERSTANDING THAT SUBSTANCE OF THAT PROPOSED LANGUAGE BE ADDRESSED BOTH IN PRESS RELEASE (TEXT COMMUNICATED SEPARATELY) AND IN AIDE-MEMOIRE TO BE DELIVERED TO BRITISH AND FRENCH PRIOR TO SIGNATURE. TEXT OF AIDE-MEMOIRE PROVIDED BY SEPARATE CABLE.

2. EMBASSY HAS LEEWAY IN NEGOTIATING FINAL WORDING OF AGREEMENT. HOWEVER, DEPARTMENT WISHES TO PRESERVE LANGUAGE AND TONE WHICH INDICATES THAT AGREEMENT IS DESIGNED TO QUOTE EXPEDITE UNQUOTE AND QUOTE ACCELERATE UNQUOTE THE CURRENT LEVEL OF WORLDWIDE EFFORT. EMBASSY SHOULD RESIST (1) ANY CHANGES WHICH COLLECTIVELY WOULD INDICATE AGREEMENT

IS MERELY CONTINUATION OF BUSINESS AS USUAL, AND (2) POSSIBLE EFFORTS TO DISGUISE FACT THAT CONCERN IS WITH THE POLLUTION OF THE STRATOSPHERE BY MAN'S ACTIVITIES THROUGH DELETION OF ALL REFERENCES TO QUOTE POTENTIAL POLLUTANTS UNQUOTE.

3. CIRCULAR 175 AUTHORITY TO CONCLUDE AGREEMENT IN FINAL STAGES OF DEPARTMENTAL APPROVAL PROCESS, AND WILL TRANSMIT AUTHORITY SOONEST. AUTHORIZATION IS FOR QUOTE AMBASSADOR OR DEPUTY CHIEF OF MISSION TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF U.S.

4. U.S. PREFERENCES FOR FINAL AGREEMENT TEXT FOLLOWS. COMMENTS RELATE TO EARLIER FULL TEXT PROVIDED IN STATE 100524.

5. PREAMBLE, PARAS 1 AND 2. NO CHANGE.

6. PREAMBLE, PARA 3. DELETE FULL PARAGRAPH WHICH BEGINS ..."AWARE THAT DATA WHICH CAN BE COLLECTED IN THE NEAR TERM...."

7. PREAMBLE, PARA 4. (THIS BECOMES NEW PARA 3 AND OTHERS WHICH FOLLOW SHOULD BE REVISED ACCORDINGLY. U.S. STRONGLY URGES ADOPTION OF THIS FORMULATION.) "AWARE THAT IT IS UNCLASSIFIED

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NECESSARY TO EXPEDITE THE LONG-TERM EFFORT REQUIRED TO UNDERSTAND THE IMPACT OF POTENTIAL STRATOSPHERIC MODIFIERS, SUCH AS AVIATION AND CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES." (NOTE ESPECIALLY PREFERRED INCLUSION OF QUOTE EXPEDITE UNQUOTE, AND NEED TO DELETE QUOTE INDUSTRIAL AS A MODIFIER OF QUOTE CHEMICALS UNQUOTE.)

8. PREAMBLE, PARA 5. "BELIEVING THAT ... STRATOSPHERIC SPECIES, INCLUDING OZONE, IS ESSENTIAL."

9. PREAMBLE, PARA 6. "BEARING IN MIND ... TO ASSESS CONCENTRATIONS OF STRATOSPHERIC SPECIES AND THEIR SIGNIFICANCE AS WELL AS ... ORGANIZATION (HEREINAFTER REFERRED

TO AS"

10. PREAMBLE, PARA 7 AND ARTICLE I. NO CHANGE.

11. ARTICLE II, INTRODUCTION, "THE THREE GOVERNMENTS SHALL SEEK ... STRATOSPHERIC OZONE DATA, WORKING BOTH INDIVIDUALLY AND IN COLLABORATION."

12. ARTICLE II, SUBPARA 1. NO CHANGE.

13. ARTICLE II, SUBPARA 2..."EXCHANGING AND INTERPRETING DATA"

14. ARTICLE II, SUBPARA 3..."INITIATING AN ANALYSIS ... PLANNED OZONE MONITORING SYSTEMS...." THIS PARAGRAPH WILL END AFTER ... "AND OTHER GOVERNMENTS."

15. ARTICLE III, SENTENCE 2..."PARTICULAR ATTENTION SHALL BE PAID IN THE U.S. TO, INTER ALIA, THE HIGH ALTITUDE POLLUTION PROGRAM OF THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION AND THE RELEVANT...; IN FRANCE TO... "

16. ARTICLE IV, SENTENCE 2..."PARTICULAR CONSIDERATION SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE MEASUREMENT OF OTHER IMPORTANT NATURAL AND MAN-MADE SUBSTANCES, INCLUDING NITROGEN OXIDES, NITRIC ACID, WATER VAPOR, FLUOROCARBONS, AND OTHER HALO-CARBONS; ..."

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17. ARTICLE V. DELETE "NATIONAL" IN LINE 4.

18. ARTICLE VI. ACCEPT U.K.-FRENCH CHANGES OF "SHALL" FOR "WILL" AND PROPOSAL TO CONCLUDE PARA BY REFERRING TO "DEVELOPMENT OF APPROPRIATE STANDARDS AND, IN TURN, THE ESTABLISHMENT OF REGULATORY MEASURES, IF DEEMED NECESSARY,"

19. ARTICLE VII, LINE 3. "... SCIENTIFIC BASIS, FUTURE NEED, AND FEASIBILITY OF DEVELOPING INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS FOR STRATOSPHERIC POLLUTION CAUSED BY CIVIL AVIATION AND TO MAKE APPROPRIATE RECOMMENDATIONS AS NECESSARY,"

20. ARTICLE VIII. NO CHANGE.

21. ARTICLE XI. REPLACE QUOTE TRIPARTITE REPORT UNQUOTE WITH QUOTE JOINT REPORT UNQUOTE; AND ADD "UNDER THIS AGREEMENT" AT END OF SENTENCE.

22. ARTICLE X - XIII. NO CHANGE.

23. AGREE THAT NEW ARTICLE XIV SUGGESTED BY FRENCH WILL NOT BE INCLUDED; AND AS ORIGINALLY PROPOSED REFERENCE WILL

BE MADE TO "DONE IN TRIPLICATE" IN FINAL PARAGRAPH BEFORE
SIGNATURE BLOCK.

24. REGARDING DRAFT PRESS RELEASE TRANSMITTED SEPARATE
CABLE, REQUEST MODIFICATION FIRST SENTENCE IN FINAL
PARAGRAPH TO READ: QUOTE NEGOTIATIONS ON THE AGREEMENT
WERE INITIATED AS THE RESULT OF A REQUEST BY SECRETARY OF
TRANSPORTATION WILLIAM COLEMAN IN HIS FEBRUARY 4 DECISION
ON THE CONCORDE SST (WHICH AUTHORIZED LIMITED SERVICE TO
NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON FOR A 16-MONTH TRIAL PERIOD) THAT
THE THREE COUNTRIES SEEK WAYS TO STRENGTHEN EXISTING
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